

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: Laura K. Roth
Koh Ishigami et al.)	
	:	Art Unit: 2852
Application No. 10/540,562)	
	:	Confirmation No. 6720
Filed: November 16, 2005)	
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For: FIXING METHOD AND FIXING)	
DEVICE WITH SPECIFIED	:	
TEMPERATURE RELATIONSHIPS)	
FOR RECORDING MEDIUM	:	January 11, 2010

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Commissioner for Patents
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

A Request for Continued Examination (RCE) is being filed concurrently herewith. Prior to further examination on the merits, and in response to the Office Action mailed August 11, 2009, please amend the application as follows.